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Personals

Fred Belmore of St. Clair Shores is visiting at the home of Mrs. Minnie Hartley.

W. J. Hertel returned home Friday from Big Bay where he has been working at the Kerr & Hanson mill. He is employed at the local plant at present.

Mrs. Ida St. John is in Detroit visiting for the children of her son here while Mrs. St. John is in a hospital, there where she recently underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sentiobor Deacon Mr. and Mrs. James H. of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris of Midland spent the week end here visiting relatives.

Miss Virginia Kraus left for home Thursday where she has a position for the summer. She accompanied her father Emil Kraus who had been at Marquette business.

Miss Eva Dier stopped in Grayling for a few days visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and ate from Mackinaw City at her home in Glass Lake, Mich.

Judge Horace Patterson, who has been on the tax list for a few days and a officer in his bed is now to recuperate and around again. Nervousness has been causing him a lot of pain.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson of Gay are guests this week at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Edna Dawson. They drove out Wednesday for a little 7 days visit.

Mrs. Hugh Patterson arrived Saturday from Detroit and is spending his weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Mutton of Lake Margrethe. This is Mrs. Patterson's first visit in the north and she says it is a beautiful country.

Mrs. Clara Richards arrived yesterday from Dayton and will spend the summer months on the west side of Lake Margrethe. With her is Miss Lorraine Darr also of Dayton who will remain for the summer.

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All calls answered quickly, any hour of the day or night.

Dependable, Reliable Service

Alfred Sorenson

Funeral Home

Ambulance Service

Lady Attendant

Phones

Day 2481 Night 3671

Jesse Ware of Flint was a Saturday caller at the E. Sammons home.

Barbara Schmidt is visiting her grandparents in Flint for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson left Tuesday for a several days visit in Detroit.

Alex Kochanowski of Traverse City visited friends in Grayling over the weekend.

Mrs. Earl Woodburn of Detroit is at her home at Lake Michigan and has as her guest Mrs. Helen Gilbert of that city.

Frederick Ziegler of Detroit was the guest of Miss Janice Entsminger over the weekend.

George Craft of Newberry spent the week end visiting relatives in Grayling.

Vera Mae Tinket is visiting her aunt at Houghton Lake for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Failing and children visited friends in East Jordan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nelson and daughters spent Sunday visiting in East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kernosky enjoyed a visit over the weekend from Mr. and Mrs. James Cook, Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Geo Box and daughter and Mrs. William Taylor of Kingsley.

Miss Susanne Scarlett of Detroit arrived Monday and is the guest of Mrs. Fred Mutton at the Horace Shaw cottage at Lake Margrethe, expecting to remain until the forefront of August.

Miss Wanda Cardinal returned to Ann Arbor Sunday after spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal, Perry Wells and Mrs. Cardinal accompanied her there returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lydeil had as their guests over Sunday, Mrs. Grace Miller and Mrs. Helen Cole of Traverse City. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lester and daughter of Fernside and Luie Hoyt and Sam Marsh of Williamsburg, Michigan.

Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick and little son Don returned to Detroit Tuesday after visiting her mother, Mrs. Emil Kraus at the family cottage at Lake Margrethe for a fortnight. Mr. Fitzpatrick spent the week end with his family here.

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Mrs. Harold Rasmussen and Miss Odie Sheehy are entertaining St. Mary's Altar society at the parish hall this afternoon.

Wesley Sammons arrived home from Lansing Friday, and Monday morning submitted to an operation at Mercy Hospital.

Oscar Kimbler of Frederic has taken over the Elmer Corsaut farm in Maple Forest, and his family has taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Braudwood are expecting Mrs. George Youngs of East Lansing to arrive today to be their guest for the weekend.

Ed Alois employed at Mercy Hospital, accompanied by Billy Hinsley left Sunday for Sioux City, Iowa, on business, expecting to return home today.

Herbert Daniel is the name of the little son born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel of Maple Forest on July 10th. Mother and baby are at the home of Mrs. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf and daughters Jeanne and Janet, of South Bend, returned to their home Sunday after a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wolf at Lake Margrethe.

Roscoe Dowell, employed by the State Highway department in Resevoir was quite severely burned last Thursday afternoon and has been a patient at Mercy Hospital since. He was washing a floor with gasoline when it burst into flames, burning both arms and scorching his face.

Little Jean Lovely had her first birthday party Thursday when her mother Mrs. Richard Lovely entertained 14 boys and girls in her honor at their cottage at the Military reservation. It rained all afternoon so the kiddies played games indoors. Lunch time came and there was a lovely birthday cake holding five tapers and with it ice cream was served.

Bobby Annis shattered the bone in his left arm between the shoulder and elbow when he fell recently. He was playing a game where a large sack of sand is suspended from the limb of a tree, and one climbs a step-ladder and jumps for the bag and it swings backward and forward. But when Bobby jumped he missed the bag and fell to the ground.

Mrs. Carl Larson met with an auto accident Thursday noon. Driving south on U. S. 27 she collided with a truck that was leaving the carnival grounds.

Mrs. Grace Rouse who was riding in the carnival company truck, received a broken collarbone and is at Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Larson's car was badly damaged, but she was unhurt.

In honor of her little guest Judith Ann Nadeau of Pinconning, Mrs. Wilfred Laurant entertained ten girls at her home Tuesday afternoon. Coming dressed like mothers they brought their children and all behaved very well. Farmer in the Dell and London Bridge were among the games played and pictures were taken of the group. A picnic lunch was served on the lawn.

The Townsend club is sponsoring Jack Winston and his Hollywood players, presenting his novelty orchestra and a three-act comedy and five vaudeville acts. This will be presented at the School Auditorium next Saturday at 8:00 p. m. The sponsors say this will be giving the public a lot for their money and hope that they will have a full house. Admission 35 cents.

Several streets badly in need of repair are being graded and being made ready for surfacing. Among these is Plum street where the hills have been cut down, Ottawa street that has been filled in, Clyde street, the east end of Ingham and the north end of Fulton street on the South side. This will make a fine improvement to the neighborhoods in which these streets are located.

Jackie Trudeau certainly showed he was going to grow into a true patriot when he entertained eight little friends on his eighth birthday Saturday, July 13. Jackie took his guests to the show and on returning home afterwards, found a red, white and blue tent all set up in the yard. Lunch boxes of red, white and blue that had been hidden in the yard with their names on them had to be searched for. Upon leaving each little guest voted Jackie a perfect host.

Keith Pershing, driving the A. B. Zuel car, Sunday evening had the misfortune to have an accident. He with Mrs. Pershing were on their way to Roscommon and when about ten miles south of Grayling a car darted onto the highway from a side road and to avoid striking it and another car that was approaching Mr. Pershing left the highway. The car rolled over a couple of times and they escaped with only minor bruises and cuts, however the Zuel car was a wreck. Mr. Pershing is employed at Zuel's

Mrs. Olga Nielsen will leave Friday for Detroit where she will be accompanied by Miss Helen Dominian of that city, and then leave for Chicago, where they will join a two weeks escorted tour of Old Mexico, California, Vancouver, Banff, and other places of interest in the West.

Mrs. Elwood Jewell of Maple Forest was pleasantly surprised at her home on Thursday of last week when thirty of her neighbor ladies entertained at a stork shower in her honor. After some time spent in entertainment and the examination of the many pretty gifts, the hostesses of the lovely affair, Mrs. William Woodburn and Miss Martha Peterson, served home made ice cream and cakes, which had been especially prepared and donated for the occasion.

Public Notice

1940 City taxes now due and payable at City office. Last date for payment without penalty, August 1.

Florence Butler, City Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

at the close of business on June 29th, 1940

Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of the Banking Department pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan Financial Institutions Act

ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.
Loans and Discounts (including \$51,07 overdrawn)	\$225,265.07	07
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	37,500.00	00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	195,602.24	24
Bank premises owned \$ None, furniture and fixtures \$100	1.00	00
Other assets	1,636.30	30
Total Assets	\$460,004.61	61

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$150,975.07
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	175,276.33
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	1,159.41
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	69,060.66
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	134.17
Total Deposits	\$396,605.64

Other liabilities	970.36
Total Liabilities (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$397,576.00

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	2,428.61
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	10,000.00
Total Capital Accounts	\$ 62,428.61

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$460,004.61
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* This bank's capital consists of \$ None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total retrivable value \$ None; second preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total retrivable value \$ None; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	None
(e) Total	None
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
(e) Total	None
Subordinated obligations:	
(a) Unpaid dividends on preferred stock and unpaid interest on capital notes and debentures, accrued to end of last dividend or interest period, not included in liabilities or reserves above	None
(b) Other obligations not included in liabilities which are subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors	None
(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	\$47,592.68
(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	\$178,102.24

OFFICERS:

Esbern Hanson, President
John Bruun, Vice-Pres. & Manager
Holger D. Hanson, Vice-Pres.

Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier

DIRECTORS:

Esbern Hanson
Holger D. Hanson
John Bruun
A. J. Nelson
Wilhelm Raabe

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY RELIABLE MAN WANTED

Call on farmers in Crawford county. No experience or capital required. Write MR. RABY, Box 192, Bay City, Mich.

FOR SALE—Economy King, 600 lb. capacity cream separator, A-1 shape, \$25.00. E. F. Jewell, 4 1/2 miles east of Frederic.

FOR SALE—Light Johnson Twin outboard motor, A-1 conditon. Inquire at Hanson Hardware Co.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, July 18, 1917

Miss Ida Bugbee is visiting relatives and friends in Pinconning for a few days.

Hans Peterson is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the Sorenson Bros. store. He is spending it with his parents near Frederic.

Miss Nina Petersen is the new clerk at H. Petersen's grocery. Arthur Karpus is now driving the auto delivery truck.

Dewey Durfee has resigned his position at the Lewis Drug store and has accepted a similar one in Onaway.

Victor Petersen left Saturday for Bay City, where he enlisted in Ambulance Co. No. 2.

Mrs. Seeley Wakeley who resides down the river, while in Grayling Friday, had the misfortune to hurt her foot. She was walking along Cedar street, when she stepped into a hole in the sidewalk, turning her ankle, which caused her much pain.

Helen and Dorothy May returned the forepart of the week from a week's vacation in Bay City.

Mrs. Frank Karnes and sister, Miss Beulah Miller, and brother, returned Thursday from a trip to Sarnia, Canada, and other Canadian places.

Mrs. Clarence Claggett and two daughters of Maumee, Ohio, and Mrs. William Pobur and little daughter Nadine of Detroit, arrived Tuesday to visit the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Peterson for a few weeks.

Mrs. Helen Ford, who has been ailing for a year or more, passed away at Mercy Hospital Sunday. She had been at the hospital for several months receiving treatment but on account of her extreme old age her illness was hard to overcome. The deceased is survived by one son Charles, and two grandsons, James Ford of Detroit and Paul Ford of this city.

Miss Cecil LaRue of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Glen Owen and family this week.

Robert Roblin, who is employed in Lansing, is home for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Roblin.

Bert Chappell and family returned home from an auto trip to Jackson and other southern Michigan cities. They travelled 900 miles.

Miss Elizabeth Karpus of Detroit was united in marriage to Mr. Howard C. Parks of Ann Arbor Tuesday evening of this week. The ceremony took place in Detroit, where Miss Karpus

Lets 300,000 Mosquitoes Bite Him To Find Perfect Insect Repellent

Young Research Worker on University Staff Real "Iron" Man



Philip Granett

WHILE other people try to keep away from mosquitoes during the summer months, Philip Granett, young "iron" man at Rutgers University, goes to a great deal of trouble to get them to bite him. He has endured more than 800,000 bites to help make it possible for other folks to escape insect annoyance.

Granett is one of a group of scientists at Rutgers who, under a grant from the National Carbon Company, are studying insect reactions to various chemicals. They have been working on this one problem for five years. As a result, they have already succeeded in making a repellent lotion that not only prevents mosquitoes from biting but keeps them at a distance.

Granett's method in this research has been that of a human guinea pig. He has tried out on himself the hundreds of chemical combinations produced by the laboratory staff to learn which solution would work best.

His method has been to take a sample of the chemical to be tested, stand in a mosquito bog, roll up sleeves and trousers, and apply a measured amount of the repellent to one arm and one leg. The other arm and leg have been left unprotected. Then the number of bites received on the untreated parts of his body were counted.

Bites were counted until Granett got one on the arm or leg having the repellent coating. As soon as that happened, he noted the time that had elapsed since the test began, and the experiment was over. His purpose, of course, was to find a chemical combination that would extend the protection time as long as possible.

Annual School Report South Branch Township Unit School Dist.

Minutes of Annual Meeting held at Town Hall, South Branch Township on Monday, July 8th, 1940.

Board called to order by chairman pro tem, Edith McGillis. President Fred Hartman and Trustees W. Dusenbury not being present. Motion was made by Alice Scott, supported by Katie Wehnes that Sarah Hartman and Grace Dusenbury act as members of this Board of Election. Motion carried.

Motion made by Alice Scott, supported by Katie Wehnes that Edith McGillis act as chairman of this election. Motion carried.

Motion made by Katie Wehnes, supported by Sarah Hartman that Alice Scott and Grace Dusenbury act as clerks of this election. Carried.

Motion made by Alice Scott, supported by Grace Dusenbury that Sarah Hartman and Katie Wehnes act as inspectors. Carried.

After proclamation, polls were opened at 10 o'clock A. M.

Business meeting called at 3 o'clock P. M.

Minutes of preceding Annual Meeting read, also Financial Report.

Motion made by Katie Wehnes, supported by Sarah Hartman that reports be accepted as read. Motion carried.

Polls were closed at 5 o'clock P. M.

Books and numbers found to agree. Ballots canvassed with the following results:

Member Board of Education for a term of three years: Alice R. Scott received 13. Total votes cast, 13.

Alice R. Scott receiving a majority of all votes cast was declared elected.

Member Board of Education for a term of 3 years: William R. Dusenbury received 13. Total number votes cast 13.

William R. Dusenbury having received a majority of all votes cast was declared elected.

The proposition: Shall the Township Unit School District of South Branch transport children to Gerrish-Higgin's Agricultural School? received 13 votes of which 13 were Yes. No, None. This proposition was declared carried.

Motion made and supported we adjourn. Motion carried.

Signed, Alice R. Scott, Secretary.

Financial Report for South Branch Twp. Unit School District for year 1940

Cash balance on hand.

General Fund \$134.19

Library Fund 80.04

Total amount on hand June 30, 1939 \$214.23

Current operating tax collections \$1,328.64

Delinquent tax collections 958.86

Primary money 817.59

Primary supplement 834.63

Equalization 659.32

Total Revenue Receipts \$4,599.04

Non-Revenue Receipts

Sale of property \$412.46

Grand Total of Receipts \$5,011.50

Total cash receipts including balance, June 30, 1939 \$5,225.73

Expenditures

Salaries of Board of Education Members \$242.20

Supplies of Board of Education 14.40

Census and election expense 34.74

Tuition for elementary grades (Kg. to 8) \$1,584.10

Books for library 80.04

Projector 30.00

Transportation of pupils 2,627.70

Repair of bus stops 48.93

Repair of bus bodies 5.00

License plates 1.00

Grand Total of cash expenditures \$4,636.11

Cash balance June 30, 1940, General Fund \$589.62

Total Expenditures including balance \$5,225.73

Total cash Receipts including balance June 30, 1939 \$5,225.73

fact, seemed to render them more readily victims to infections. Colds and sore throats were especially common in those children whose parents had a history of asthma or hayfever. This group also showed a marked tendency to deafness and running ears, respiratory infections and pneumonia, indicating that the allergic child should have early and special consideration.

In general, it may be said that about 25 percent of all children must have tonsils removed in order to have normal health, while 75 percent will doubtless enjoy better health if allowed to retain their tonsils.

REMOVING THE TONSILS

Many parents regard the summer vacation period as an excellent time for the removal of their child's tonsils and arrange for the operation quite as a matter of routine. There is, in this procedure, an implied tribute to the medical profession and to the thoroughness with which it has preached the gospel of good health through the elimination of centers of infection.

Currently, however there is being some doubt expressed as to whether the doctors have not oversold tonsillectomies. Proof is accumulating that the tonsils are not vestigial organs, relics of some stage in man's evolution from lower forms of life, but have a definite function to perform—probably as filters or traps for organisms finding their way into the upper respiratory tract. As long as they continue to perform this function, they should remain undisturbed.

When, however, the tonsils, though healthy, are so large as to interfere with swallowing and breathing or when they are chronically infected, serving to incubate and distribute disease germs throughout the system, there should be no question as to their removal. Children whose tonsils and adenoids have been taken out do not seem to have as many ear infections during winter months. Enlargement of the neck glands, a common ailment of childhood, appears less frequently after tonsillectomy. Other children, suffering from impaired nutrition and retarded growth, also benefit by an operation.

These are some of the principal indications for removal of the tonsils. Under such conditions, there is no alternative. But according to best estimates, probably no more than one child in five should undergo the operation while at least two in five now are operated upon usually on the insistence of parents who consider such procedure to be harmless and probably beneficial.

One Buffalo, New York physician who has studied the cases of 4,400 children over a ten-year period, half of the number retaining their tonsils and half losing them, has arrived at other conclusions. He found that the question did reduce the incidence of throat trouble especially during the first three years that followed. But it had no effect on those susceptible to colds and, in

NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Please take notice that on Monday the 12th day of August, 1940, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Judge of Probate at the court house in the city of Grayling, county of Crawford, Michigan, I will make application to the Honorable Judge of Probate in and for said county, to change my name from Matties Pylvainen to Matthew Budvia.

Signed Matties Pylvainen,
Grayling, Michigan, June 27, 1940

6-27-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN

(Frank Goinick Estate)
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1940.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frank Golinick, deceased.

Sam F. Golinick having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Elmer Head or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 12th day of August A. D. 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stella B. Burke, deceased.

George Burke having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Grayling in said county, on the 3rd day of July A. D. 1940.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stella B. Burke, deceased.

George Burke having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Grayling in said county, on the 3rd day of July A. D. 1940.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Charles E. Moore,
Judge of Probate.

7-11-4

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Description of Land.

State of Michigan,

County of Crawford,

East half of Southwest quarter of Northwest quarter Sec. 27, Town 25 N, Range 3 W. Amount paid \$17.17 tax for years 1931 to 1935 inclusive.

Amount necessary to redeem \$18.88 plus the fees of the sheriff, Floyd Thompson.

Place of business Camp Higgins Lake, P. O. Box 182, Roscommon, Mich.

To Edward Petrikka and Helen Petrikka last grantees in the regular chain of title of such lands, or of any interest therein, as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county, at the date of the delivery of this notice to the Sheriff for service.

6-21-4

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED.

Take Notice: that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, which fee shall be the same as provided by law for service of subpoenas or for orders of publication or the cost of such service by

Annual School Report, Frederic Rural Agricultural District

Minutes of Annual and Special School Meetings, Frederic Rural Agricultural School District, Crawford County, Michigan.

Date July 8, 1940. Place school gymnasium. Minutes taken by Lyle Dunckley, Address Frederic, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President Stanley Hummell.

Call of meeting read.

Minutes of last annual meeting read. Secretary Dunckley read financial report.

Motion by Dunckley that we have nine and one-half months school for the coming school year. Supported by E. A. Corsaut. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

Motion by E. A. Corsaut that Secretary of School Board receive fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per month for all work connected with Secretary's office. Supported by Archie Lozon. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

Motion by E. A. Corsaut that Treasurer of School Board receive five dollars (\$5.00) per month. Supported by Roy Newberry. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

Motion by C. S. Barber that the Gaylord State Bank be named as depository bank for Frederic Rural Agricultural School District. Supported by Stanley Hummell. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

J. W. Downer presented bill for labor done in and about school in the year 1935. After some discussion Mr. Paul Jungman and Mr. C. S. Barber both offered motion that will be paid at once. Mr. C. S. Barber made motion that bill of J. W. Downer be paid at once. Supported by Roy Newberry. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

Motion by Newberry that Board meet on Monday, July 22, 1940 for the purpose of qualifying officers and forming new board. Supported by Dunckley. Motion carried.

Dunckley made motion to adjourn.

Lyle Dunckley, Secretary.

Annual statistical and financial report for the school year ended June 30, 1940, District No. 1, Township of Frederic, County of Crawford.

Act under which district is organized: Rural Agricultural.

Part I—Statistical Data:

Child Accounting:

Total registration for the year 1939-40, 164. No. received from all sources during the year, 4. No. lost from all causes during the year, 4.

Membership by grades at close of the year: Kg. 14, 1 13, 2 11, 3 15, 4 19, 5 8, 6 15, 7 13, 8 13, 9 16, 10 8, 11 12, 12 6. Others 1. Total 164.

Average daily attendance for the year: (a) Elementary (K-6) 83, (b) Secondary (7-12) 61.

Number of non-resident pupils: (a) Elementary (K-8) None; (b) Secondary (9-12) None.

Number of pupils transported to another district: (a) Elementary (K-8) None; (b) Secondary (9-12) None.

Number of pupils attending school in another district: (b) Secondary (9-12) Two.

Enrollment in non-public schools: None.

In a part-time or continuation school maintained? No.

No. in attendance: None.

School buildings in District:

Number of buildings: One. Total one.

Number of rooms: Nine. Total nine.

Number of new buildings built during year: None. Number of additions built during year: None. Cost of new construction:

(1) Sites, None. (2) Buildings, None. (3) Equipment, None.

Estimated value of school properties:

(1) Land, \$5,000. (2) Buildings, \$4,500. (3) Equipment, \$5,000.

Coverage Amount Term Premium Sustained Amount of Loss of Claim

Buildings—Fire, \$20,500 Yrs. 3 \$328.00 \$None \$None

Contents—Fire, \$35,000 Yrs. 3 \$159.88 \$None \$None

Tornado, \$8,4500 Yrs. 3 \$8.00 \$None \$None

Total, \$60,000

Part II—Financial Report

General Fund

Receipts and Disbursements

Cash Balance June 30, 1939

Operating Funds:

General, \$2,873.20

Library, \$9.41

Total amount on hand June 30, 1939, \$2,882.61

Revenue Receipts

General Property Tax Receipts

Current operating tax collections

Delinquent tax collections: Cash

Primary money

State Aid (Act 236, P. A. 1933, as amended)

Primary supplement

Equalization

Tuition received from state

Other State and Federal Aid

Other

Library (penal fines)

Money received from closed banks

Other revenue receipts (Consolidation)

Total Revenue Receipts

Non-Revenue Receipts

Total cash receipts including balance June 30, 1939, \$19,651.85

Budget Expenditures

General Control:

Salaries of board of education members

Supplies of board of education

Premium on Treasurer's Bond

Salaries of Superintendent and assistants (No. 1)

Supplies and expense of Superintendent's office including clerks

Salaries of business administrators and assistants

Census expense

Other expense

Total general control expenditures

Instruction:

Salary of supervising principals (No. 1)

Supplies and expense of principals' offices including clerks

Teachers salaries, (a) men (No. 1)

(b) women (No. 4)

Teaching supplies

Books, supplementary readers, desk copies, free text books

School library—books and expense

Miscellaneous instruction expense

Total instruction expenditures

Auxiliary and Coordinate Activities:

Transportation of pupils

Total auxiliary and coordinate expenditures

Operation of School Plant:

Wages of janitors and other employees

Fuel, janitor supplies, electricity, gas, water

Total operation expenditures

Fixed Charges:

Rent

Insurance

Total fixed charge expenditures

Maintenance (Repairs and replacements)

Buildings and grounds

Heating, lighting, ventilating, water service

Furniture and instructional equipment

Miscellaneous

Total maintenance expenditures

Total operating expenditures (A-B-C-D-E-F)

Capital Outlay (Additions to property paid from general fund):

Improvement to buildings

New furniture and instructional equipment, not replacement

Heat, light, ventilation, water service

Total capital outlay expenditures

Total budget expenditures

Non-budget Disbursements:

For warrants payable (prior year)

Total non-budget disbursements

Cash Balance June 30, 1940

Operating Funds:

General

Library

Total amount on hand

Total disbursements including balance

Revenue Receipts

General property taxes (for debt obligations originally incurred prior to December 8, 1932):

Current debt tax collections

Total Revenue receipts	\$1,543.28
Non-Revenue Receipts	\$1,543.28
Total receipts including balance June 30, 1939	\$1,543.28
Budget Expenditures	
Reurement of Debt	
Paid principal on bonds	
Coupons attached	
Obligations incurred after December 8, 1932	
Paid interest on bonds	
Total Budget Expenditures	
Balance on hand	
Signed	
Lyle Dunckley, Secretary	
C. S. Barber, Treasurer	

Combating Fifth Column On the Fourth

July 4, 1939 Prohibited!

Reading Times



A Long Range Prediction

By JOHN ADAMS



On July 2, 1776, the delegates from the 13 colonies, meeting in Philadelphia, voted to separate from Britain. On that day, two days before the Declaration of Independence was signed, John Adams, later to become second President of the United States, wrote to his wife, Abigail:

"I am apt to believe that it (the day) will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pompous parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forever."

You will no doubt be transported with enthusiasm, but I am not. I am well aware of the fact that it is difficult to defend these States. You can see all the gloom I can see, but I can also see that the end is near, and that the world will be the better for it. I am not so sure that the end is near, but I am sure that the world will be the better for it.

Abigail Adams, who had the unique distinction of being the wife of one President and the mother of another, John Adams, second President, was her son, John Quincy Adams, sixth President, was her son.

John Quincy Adams predicted pretty well the nature of the revolution, although he did think we would be celebrating the second of July instead of the fourth.

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SNAPSHOTS

COMING

Hollywood Players

Jack Winston and his Hollywood Players with the Hollywood Novelty Orchestra
A modern 3-Act Comedy-Drama.
Also 5 Act Vaudeville-5
At the High School Auditorium July 26, 1940 at 8:00 p.m.

News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie LaBerge and son of Watson Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Coker of Carrollton Tuesday and Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Butler.

Home-made baked goods. See Mrs. Rainbow, 505 Cedar street phone 3171.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Wright of Vanderbilt this morning. Thursday, July 18, at Mercy Hospital.

Sally Gross is spending the week visiting at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Rutledge, in Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillan and little daughter Marilyn spent the week end at Torch Lake, the cottage of a sister of Mrs. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Kearney Riley of Detroit spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burton Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reynolds entertained the latter's mother, Mrs. R. W. Savage of Muskegon Heights, at Lake Margrethe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Moore and children of Detroit will be staying visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Marie Hanson.

Carlton Krome of Buffalo, N.Y., is spending the summer vacation visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Burke of Bay City are spending this week visiting Mayor George Burke and other relatives in Grayling.

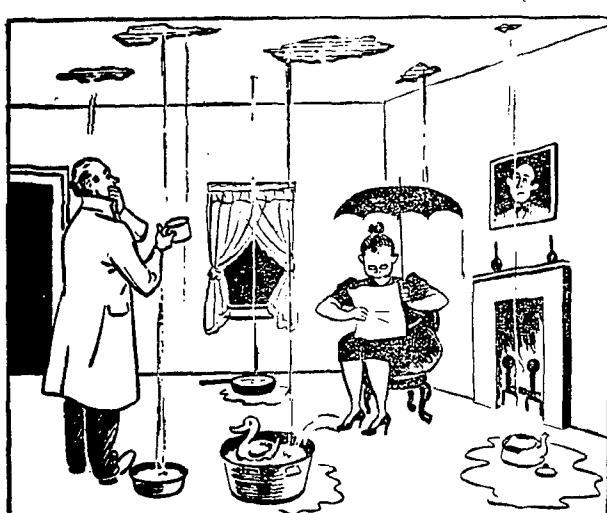
Chas. E. Marvin of Pasco, Wash., and daughter Mrs. T. L. Bruce and twin daughters, Verda and Darlene, of Seattle, are staying at a deluxe Tudor Ford to Wash., are spending this week Carl Larson.

visiting the former's brother, Arthur Marvin and family at Party Hoppe Hotel will leave Sunday for Camp Greely on Bass Higgins Lake.

Fritz Heath and Charles McNamee, Jr., flew to Bay City Wednesday morning where they will write on the examination required Wednesday from Adams, for their private pilot license. Joe Weller, who had been visiting Kesseler, Clayton Anthony, and other relatives for a week. They are also taking lessons there, as the latter's examinations for private pilot licenses this week.

Guests at the James Lynch home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood, left, from home in Buffalo, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Herbert, visiting a couple of nephews of Mrs. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, all of Bay City. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cotter, of Mt. Pleasant visited them.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. DeVere Bewnaire of Onaway are the happy parents of a seven pound daughter, named Peggy Jean, who arrived July 15. Of course this makes the grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Barton Wakeley, feel pretty proud as this is their first experience as grandparents, and makes the great grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clise and Mrs. Florence Wakeley equally proud.



WHY FIX THE ROOF THIS YEAR . . . WITH POTS AND PANS TO SPARE!

Silly, isn't it? Yes . . . but no, more so than many excuses for putting off repairs offered by otherwise intelligent people. This year, this month, is the logical time to fix the roof, before the walls and ceilings are ruined.

We can put a new roof right over your old one, quickly and inexpensively. Each day you wait may increase the damages, and the ultimate cost of repairs. Damages to paper and plaster increase with each rain storm.

Call us today for a free estimate.

Rasmussen Lumber Co.

Samuel Rasmussen and Joseph Kernosky, Proprietors.
Corner Railroad and Ogemaw Streets.
Grayling, Mich. Phone 3651

Mid-Summer Clearance Starts Friday Morning

*Our twice-a-year sale of our regular stock at splendid savings.
Extra low prices prevail on summer stocks.*

Men's Slack Suits, Polo Shirts and Slacks

25% off

Entire Stock

MEN'S WHITE OXFORDS

Now \$2.95

Arrow Shirts

\$1.65

Regular \$1.25 Men's Dress Shirts

98c

Men's

Swim Trunks

Wool or Elastic

\$1.00 values 79c

Clearance

Straw Hats

\$1.50 to \$1.95 Hats

Now \$1.00

25c White

Shoe Polish

19c

10c White

Shoe Polish

3 for 25c

Entire Stock of

Men! Get Your Suit Now

All-Year Suits

At Great Savings

\$22.50 Suits Now \$16.95

\$24.50 Suits Now \$18.95

\$29.50 Suits Now \$22.50

20% Off

on Men's Oxfords and Work Shoes

Men's 25c

Shirts and Shorts

19c

Men's Keds and Sport Shoes

\$2.50 values \$2.00

\$1.95 values \$1.69

\$1.50 values \$1.19

Ladies' Fine Footwear

at Clearance Prices

\$3.95 Shoes NOW \$2.88

\$2.95 Shoes NOW \$1.94

Come Early for THIS SPECIAL

1 Rack of Ladies'

White and Colored

Shoes—our regular

\$2.95 to \$3.95 shoes

at only **\$1.00** pr.

Clearance of all Ladies' and Misses Dresses

\$7.95 Dresses \$5.95

\$5.95 Dresses \$3.95

\$3.95 Dresses \$2.95

1 Rack Summer Wash Frocks and Play Suits

FINAL CLEARANCE THIS SPECIAL

Ladies' and Misses Coats

3 off

1/4 off on

Ladies' Slack Suits, Slacks and Shorts

1 Lot Ladies' and Children's Slacks and Overalls at

1/2 price

Girls' June Preston Wash Dresses

79c

1/4 off on

Ladies' Rayon and Silk Gowns and Pajamas

Ladies' Kedettes

\$1.95 Now - - \$1.69

\$1.25 Now - - \$1.00

Grayling Mercantile Company

The Quality Store

Phone 2251

Peter Peterson of Marquette arrived Tuesday and is spending a few days visiting friends.

Alfred Hanson attended the Tenth district meeting of the American Legion in Midland Tuesday night.

Mrs. William Simpson and son Robert Gates of Romeo, and Miss Jeanne Mills of Ann Arbor spent the week end here visiting Mr. Simpson at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Branut and children of Saginaw are spending the week here visiting Mrs. Branut's sisters Mrs. Sam Horning and Mrs. Arthur Dentewett.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders and children spent Sunday at Sault Ste. Marie and Whitefish Point. Mr. and Mrs. Souders were celebrating their wedding anniversary on that day.

Jane Milnes celebrated her birthday anniversary Friday by entertaining sixteen girls and boys at the Grayling Golf club house. There was a putting contest that was won by Nelle Welsh and Sandy Thompson, and Elaine Kraus and Roger Giegling won the Professor Quiz contest.

Dancing was happy pastime for the remainder of the evening, with a course lunch of oodles of sandwiches.

The regular social meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the hall next Tuesday evening. Each member will have the privilege of inviting a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Butler had as their guests over the weekend, Miss Iva Kinsley, of Port Huron, Miss Dorothy Hoxey, of Dearborn, Miss Leone Wallace, of South Lyon, and Miss Dorothy Boggs of Eric.

Joe Jordan and son Merlin of McIlvor stopped Saturday at the home of Henry Jordan enroute on a fishing trip across the straits. The former's brother Henry Jordan accompanied them Sunday. They returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson, son Alfred and daughter Jeanne, spent from Friday to Monday at Lovells Town Hall every Thursday night. Music by Neal West and his orchestra.

Misses Elina Mae Sorenson, Muriel DeLaMater, Dorothy Roberts, Mrs. Robert Sorenson and Mrs. Wesley LaGrow spent Monday in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Peterson of Detroit were guests of Mrs. Edward Sorenson over the weekend. They were former residents of Grayling when Mr. Peterson worked for the Michigan Central railroad.

Reggie Sheehy was dismissed from Mercy Hospital Monday where he had been a patient since Friday when he fell suddenly ill. His illness was the resultant effects of a severe case of sinus infection.

Little Joan Failing daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Failing was a patient at Mercy Hospital for a few days. Mrs. Failing and children were visiting at the Elgin Benware home in Oxford, when the little girl was taken ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Coulter

and daughter Hazel and son Clarence and E. W. (Red) Austin of Royal Oak, arrived in Grayling Tuesday to pick huckleberries.

Of course the Coulters are busy looking up old friends. They are former Grayling residents.

Carl Dean Hanson spent the weekend visiting at the Charles Corwin farm.

Dr. J. Fred Cook is in Washington, D. C., on business this week.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield of Royal Oak were guests over the weekend of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport.

Mrs. Louis Kesseler was dismissed from Mercy Hospital Wednesday feeling very much improved.

Mrs. Walter Hanson has been dismissed from Mercy Hospital after being a patient for several weeks.

It must have been a huge surprise to Mr. Roosevelt to find that, after his spokesman at the Democratic convention announced that he was not a candidate for president and released all delegates from any obligation to him, to learn that he would be "drafted."

Bill McEvers says there is a science in berry picking. "Just raise up a branch and place one hand beneath a bunch of berries and by just touching the fruit the ripe berries will drop off in the hand. This way the fruit will be uniformly ripe and free from dirt and you'll fill your basket much quicker."

Sister M. Makay, of St. M. Benedictine, was returning yesterday from a business trip to Sioux City, Iowa.

Huckleberries are wild this season. They are large and juicy and besides they are plentiful.

Mrs. Maude E. Hayes of St. Louis spent Saturday here attending the luncheon and dinner given by Mrs. A. E. Mason at Lake Margrethe.

Many Separate Items must be performed every service and we endeavor to provide attention and skill which our high standards demand of us.

Phone 3331

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